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Dear Examiner Pryor:

This confirms my telephone conversation with you this morning at 6:30am wherein I authorized you to cancel, by Examiner's Amendment, rejected claims 1-5 and 7 and non-elected claims 6,8,12 and 16-19.

As a result of that Examiner's Amendment the application is placed in condition to be allowed since the only remaining claims in the application are allowed claims 22 to 30.

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